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RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the second non-final office action mailed April 29, 2004.

Remarks begin on page 2.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this **Response** is being sent via first class mail to Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on August 30, 2004.

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